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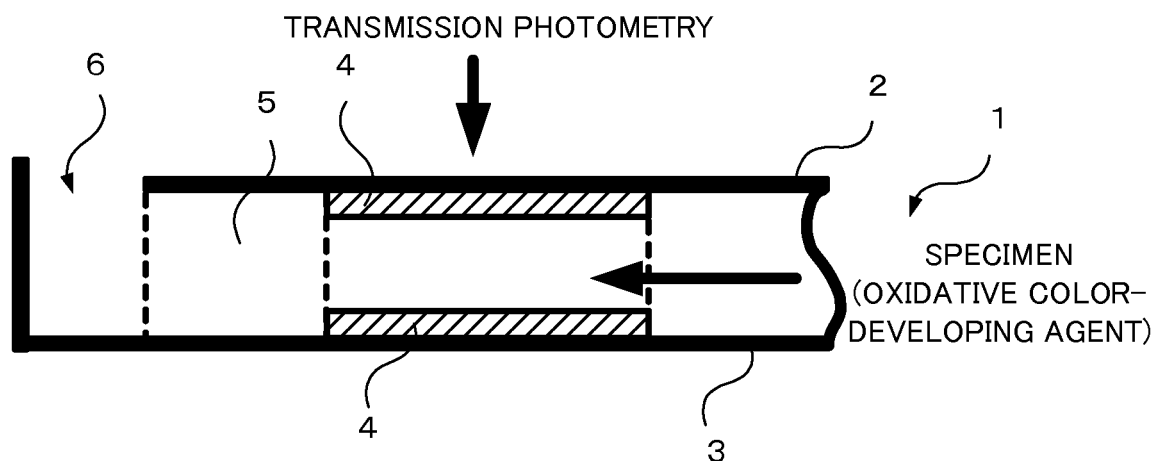
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(54) **Analytical instrument and analytical method**

(57) Provided are an analytical instrument (1) and an analytical method that allow for the direct analysis of a target substance in an undiluted specimen by a transmission photometry in a tightly closed cell container space. An analytical instrument (1) is an analytical instrument (1) for analyzing a target substance contained in a specimen flown in the tightly closed cell container by uti-

lizing an oxidative color-developing agent and an oxidative enzyme reaction, in which an upper substrate (2) and a lower substrate (3) are arranged facing each other and at least a part of the upper substrate (2) and/or at least a part of the lower substrate (3) are/is made of a material transmitting light used for the analysis and having oxygen transmission properties.

FIG. 1





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